IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Ricky R. Ruschke et al.

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AND METHOD OF MAKING

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), Applicants hereby cite the following reference:

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS		
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6,682,509	01/27/2004	Lopez

Applicants are enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), listing the reference. As the listed reference is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R §1.98(a)(3). Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's consideration of the above reference and entry thereof into the record of this application.

Applicants have calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. However, the Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement to deposit account 231925.

Respectfully submitted,

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